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Inventor(s): Kevor Tenhuisen, Joseph Contiliano and David Overaker
Title: URETHRAL STENT REDUCER
Assignee: Ethicon, Inc.

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Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find the following documents in the above-identified application for Letters Patent of the United States:

<u>1</u>	Pages of Abstract
<u>13</u>	Pages of Specification
<u>15</u>	Number of Claims
<u>5</u>	Sheets of Drawings
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